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Attached is the following for filing in the above-identified application.

(1) Request for Continued Examination Transmittal (RCE).

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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of Application No. 09/715,935, filed November 17, 2000 for: COATING FORMATION BY REACTIVE DEPOSITION, by: Xiangxin Bi, Ronald J. Mosso, Shivkumar Chiruvolu, Sujeet Kumar, James T. Gardner, Seung M. Lim and William E. McGovern.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. ☒ Previously submitted

- ☒ Please enter in the present application the unentered Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, with any attachments, filed on May 21, 2007 in said prior application.
- ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or reply Brief previously filed on _____
- ☐ Other _____

b. ☐ Enclosed

- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. Claims added by this Amendment are properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered claim in the prior application.
- ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- ☐ Other _____

2. ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

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☐ First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim (MDC)

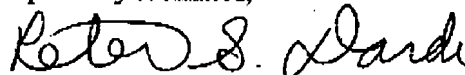
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